

# Bill History

## Session Year 2015

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#### **Introducer(s):**

General Law Committee

**Title:** AN ACT MAKING MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION STATUTES.

**Statement of Purpose:** To amend Department of Consumer Protection statutes to: (1) Remove a requirement that distributors of sealed tickets have a physical office in this state, (2) require charitable organizations to submit only one application to conduct bazaars and raffles and to ensure municipalities promptly receive such application fees, (3) promote safer conduct of golf ball-drop raffles, (4) clarify who is eligible to obtain a fire system layout technician's license without first having to obtain specific certification, (5) remove Home Improvement and New Home Guaranty Fund requirements requiring consumers to submit certified copies of court judgments and add clarifying language concerning court orders and decrees, (6) remove reciprocity language concerning real estate appraisers that does not comply with federal guidelines, and (7) increase the amount of restitution consumers may receive under the Connecticut Unfair Trade Practices Act from five thousand to ten thousand dollars.

#### **Bill History:**

02/20/15 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON General Law Committee

02/27/15 PUBLIC HEARING 03/05

03/12/15 JOINT FAVORABLE SUBSTITUTE

03/16/15 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

03/24/15 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 03/30/15-5:00 PM

03/31/15 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

03/31/15 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE

03/31/15 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 234

03/31/15 FILE NUMBER 340

04/14/15 REFERRED BY SENATE TO COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

04/20/15 JOINT FAVORABLE

04/21/15 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

04/21/15 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE

04/22/15 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee  
04/22/15 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
05/06/15 SENATE ADOPTED SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A:LCO-6283  
05/06/15 SENATE PASSED AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A  
05/06/15 ON CONSENT CALENDAR  
05/07/15 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE  
05/07/15 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 516  
05/26/15 HOUSE ADOPTED SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A  
05/26/15 HOUSE PASSED AS AMENDED BY SENATE AMENDMENT SCHEDULE A  
05/26/15 IN CONCURRENCE  
06/02/15 PUBLIC ACT 15-60  
06/11/15 TRANSMITTED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
06/11/15 TRANSMITTED BY SECRETARY OF THE STATE TO GOVERNOR  
06/19/15 SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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| Sen. Eric D. Coleman, 2nd Dist.    | Sen. Joseph J. Crisco, 17th Dist. |
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